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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Stanislaw W. JANISIEWICZ et al.

Serial No.: 09/820,874

Filed: March 30, 2001

For: VARIABLE RELUCTANCE MOTOR
WITH IMPROVED TOOTH
GEOMETRY

Atty. Docket No.: 00702.00019

Group Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: Unknown

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the instant application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, after the Title of the Invention, insert the following paragraph:

(New) This application is a continuation-in-part application of U.S. Serial No. 09/538,897, filed March 30, 2000, now abandoned, the entire contents of which are incorporated herein by reference.

REMARKS

The instant amendment is made in order to complete the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120. No new matter is added by this amendment.

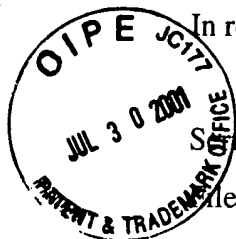
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